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To: Ms Tiina Astola (DG JUST)

Brussels, 26 March 2019

Subject: Notification of the competent authorities in accordance with Article 33 of Directive 2014/41/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 3 April 2014 regarding the European Investigation Order in criminal matters

Dear Ms Astola,

I wish to inform you that when Luxembourg issues a European Investigation Order, the issuing authorities referred to in Article 33 of the Directive are the 'Procureur d'État' (State Prosecutor), the investigating judge and the trial courts.

When Luxembourg receives a European Investigation Order, the receiving authorities referred to in Article 33 of the Directive are the 'Procureur Général d'État' (Principal State Prosecutor) in the case of a European Investigation Order requesting coercive measures, and the 'Procureur d'État' (State Prosecutor) in the case of a European Investigation Order requesting non-coercive measures.

When Luxembourg executes a European Investigation Order, the executing authorities referred to in Article 33 of the Directive are the investigating judge for coercive measures and the 'Procureur d'État' (State Prosecutor) for non-coercive measures.

The languages accepted for a European Investigation Order in Luxembourg are French, German and English.

The law transposing the European Investigation Order into Luxembourg law entered into force on 1 August 2018.

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Georges Friden
Ambassador, Permanent Representative

[Handwritten: 02.04.2019 – Chef de file: for follow-up as appropriate]